

**BANTAKEN OFF
RUSSIAN TRADE
BY UNCLE SAM****Business Men Can Now Deal
With Country But at
Own Risk.****TO BE NO RECOGNITION****Taboo on Passports Also to
Be Continued Just as
Heretofore.**

The United States Government, acting independently of the allied governments, yesterday removed all restrictions on trade with Russia, thereby enabling American capitalists and manufacturers to enter, at their own risk, into commercial dealings with any part of the Russian population, whether under Bolshevik domination or not.

The action of the United States Government is qualified by the two following important particulars:

First, political recognition, present or future, of any Russian authority exercising or claiming to exercise governmental functions, is neither granted nor implied by this action.

Second, restrictions that pertain to the shipment of materials susceptible of immediate use for war purposes will be maintained.

No Debt Agreement.

There is no agreement, formal or tacit, State Department officials declared, as to the repayment of the debt owed the United States, either by the Czarist government or the Kerensky regime.

Actually the action of this government only carries out the provisions of the plan advanced by the United States as counter proposal to that of the allies that trading by barter

**IRISH PICKETS
RESUME POSTS****Women Announce Disre-
gard of Police Warning
To Them of Arrests.**

Picketing of the British Embassy and the State Department by women sympathizers with Ireland will be resumed, despite the warning of Washington police that arrests will follow.

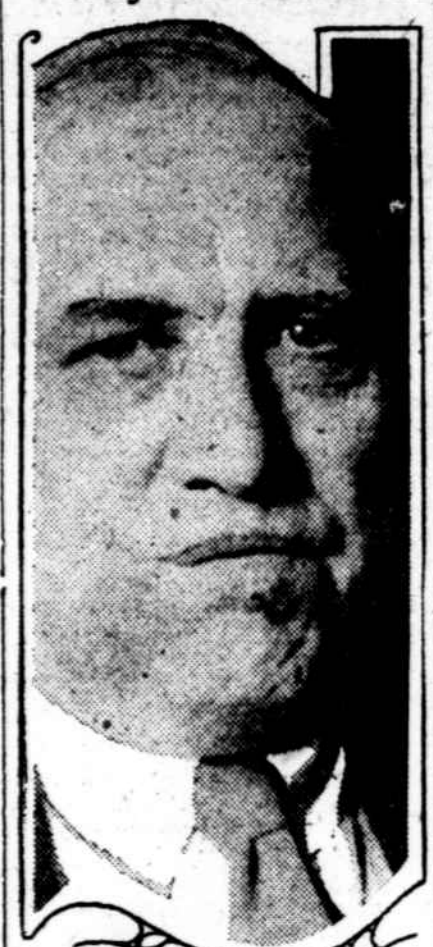
Mrs. Thomas K. Corless, of New York, leader of the little band which recently created a stir by picketing the embassy and later burning a British flag in front of the State Department, announced yesterday that these methods would be pursued until the Republic of Ireland is recognized by Great Britain and this government.

Charging that the British press is preparing the American public for an Irish massacre on Orange-men's Day, July 12, and will seek to give the impression that the trouble originated with religious riots, the women last night dispatched cablegrams simultaneously to Premiers Lloyd George, of Great Britain; Millerand, of France; and Giolitti, of Italy, who are attending the Spa conference.

**Last Days Now Approaching in Big
Herald Salesmanship Club Campaign;
Time Is Critical for All Contestants**

It is only a matter of a little time now until the closing hour of the Herald Salesmanship Club Campaign and this is the critical stage in the race. Interest of candidates and their friends increases by leaps and bounds. Rivalry has grown intense. Every member of the Salesmanship Club realizes that he or she has a prize at stake—a mighty big prize at that, and no stone will be left unturned in the way of obtaining all possible subscriptions in order to produce a winning majority.

Alert to their opportunity, club members are going to make the re-

**Cox's Man Friday
May Be Chairman****EDWARD H. MOORE.**

Strategy of Edward H. Moore, veteran Ohio politician, is given a large measure of the credit for the Cox victory in the Democratic convention. Dispatches from San Francisco say efforts are being made to replace Homer S. Cummings, national chairman, with Moore. This snapshot was taken at San Francisco, where he was on the job day and night.

**CALLS ELWELL
VICTIM OF LOVE****Former Housekeeper Insists
Turfman's Slayer Was
Jealous Husband.**

By DENNIS O'CONNELL.
(Special Cable Dispatch.)
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Newry, County Down, Ireland, July 7.—The New York police should look for some jealous husband as the slayer of Joseph Bowne Elwell.

This is the considered opinion of Mrs. Annie Bowne, former housekeeper of the murdered turfman and whist authority, after reflecting on Elwell's life-long successful love-making. Inasmuch as Mrs. Kane entered Elwell's employ in 1909, I pressed her to try to recall the list of women that came under the spell of his exceptional powers of fascination.

"What you ask is next to impossible," was her reply. "Remember that most of the time I didn't sleep in the Elwell home, but after my day's work, returned to my own home with my husband."

Says One After Another Came.

"One woman after another came to the Elwell home. Most of the names I never know and others I have forgotten. Now my memory is sound only as regards the regular visitors to Mr. Elwell's home, such as Miss Wilson and three other women whom I have named in my affidavit."

"Miss —, who lived with her

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**ALLIES REJECT
TURKISH PLEA
AT SPA SESSION****Premiers at Parley Demand
Signing of Unrevised
Peace Pact.****FIRM WITH GERMANS****Disarmament Order Causes
Dr. Gessler to Threaten
Resignation.**

Spa, Belgium, July 7.—The Constantinople government must sign the Turkish peace treaty within ten days after its presentation, it was decided at a preliminary conference of allied premiers here today. Turkey's plea for revision was refused. The communique, issued following the premiers' meeting, said:

"The allied premiers considered the reply to the Turkish peace treaty today. It was decided it would be impossible to make any important alterations in the document. A counter reply was ordered drafted, directing Turkey to sign the treaty within ten days after presentation."

Order Brings Relief.

The allied cictum on disarmament has served to clear the air here, making continuance of negotiations contingent upon the Germans agreeing to disarm.

Dr. Gessler, German minister of defense, declared he was happy to have the opportunity of discussing disarmament but hinted he would resign unless the allies allowed Germany more favorable terms than so far have been proposed. It was reported that Gessler intended to insist upon a stronger German army, but he refused to admit such intention.

Minister of Finance Simons asked for time in which to obtain employment for demobilized troops.

Gessler Blames Strikes.

In the opening debate Lloyd George declared the entente was disappointed with Germany's failure to fulfill the treaty terms. He said what the allies wanted was hopes and promises for the future and not excuses for the past. He said Germany was entitled to 100,000 men and rifles and 3,000 machine guns. Instead, the British premier said, Germany has 300,000 men, 50,000 machine guns, 12,000 guns and millions of rifles.

Dr. Gessler, opening the German arguments, declared the Reichswehr had been reduced less than 200,000. He blamed strikes and the economic situation for non-fulfillment of the treaty terms.

Fehrenbach cited the extraordinary conditions during the past year and declared the present army was necessary as radicals and looters in many parts of the country were supplied with arms.

**GIRL WATCHES
NEGRO LYNCHED****Identifies Assailant as Mob
Riddles Swinging Body
With Bullets.**

Danville, Va., July 7.—A grim mob of tobacco farmers stormed the jail at Roxboro, near here, early this morning, cut the locks with an acetylene torch, dragged out "Red" Roach, a 25-year-old negro charged with attacking a young white girl and lynched him on a tree in a nearby negro churchyard. His alleged near-victim watched the lynching and identified the negro as he swung strangling in the air, while the mob riddled his body with bullets.

The attempted assault took place twelve hours earlier, when Roach, said to have attacked a young daughter of Edward Chambers, a well-to-do tobacco farmer of Apperson County, N. C., in an orchard.

The girl's screams brought help and the negro fled, boarding a Norfolk and Western train at Helena, Va. A telephone message to Roxboro resulted in his arrest, when the train reached that town and he was placed in jail.

Later a mob broke into the jail and seized the prisoner. A rope was swung over the limb of one of the churchyard trees. It was too short, so a chain was attached and fastened about Roach's neck.

**"Front Porch" Campaign for Presidency
Opened by Republican Standard Bearer****LUCAS HOSTAGE
SAYS SINN FEIN****British General Will Be Ex-
ecuted if More Towns
Are Wrecked.**

Dublin, July 7.—The Irish republic holds Gen. Lucas as a prisoner of war. We hereby warn the British government that if any further towns are wrecked for purposes of retaliation, Gen. Lucas will be executed in accordance with the law of war.

This statement was made today by a prominent officer of the Irish Republican army. It refers to Gen. Cuthbert H. T. Lucas, of the British Army, who recently was kidnapped by a party of armed and masked Sinn Feiners.

"The Sinn Fein," added the officer, "considers Gen. Lucas a legitimate prisoner, and intends holding him until the war between England and Ireland is over."

Since the partial wrecking of the town of Fermoy by British troops enraged over the general's capture, no similar act of reprisal has been reported. The situation is exceedingly tense throughout Ireland, however.

**BANK HOLD-UP FOILED
BY BRAVE GIRL CLERK**

New York, July 7.—Crawling on her hands and knees to a telephone booth, Miss Dora Stadler, 21, a clerk in the Bank of the Manhattan Company, seized the receiver and shouted:

"We're being robbed. There are six men here with revolvers. Come quick."

Six hold-up men who had been engaged in keeping Assistant Cashier Fred Althouse's hands over his head and backing several employees into a corner heard the girl's words, took flight and fled. They were joined by their "lookout" on the sidewalk and escaped in an automobile they had left standing at the curb.

**Wood Fund
\$1,000,000,
At Start, Claim****Loeb Says Geo. J. Whelan,
Procter and Bonnall Gave
\$250,000 Each.**

Chicago, July 7.—William Loeb, Easter campaign manager for Gen. Leonard Wood during the primaries, provided the biggest sensation thus far sprung in the investigation of campaign "slush funds" when he testified before the Senate investigating committee here today that the Wood campaign had been underwritten for \$1,000,000 by big business men of the country.

Another admission which caused considerable stir was that of T. W. Hukried, a Lowden manager in Missouri, who testified he received \$2,050 from the Lowden camp.

Wood Donors Named.

A list of the contributors to the Wood fund was provided by Loeb, and included such names as J. B. Duke, tobacco king, who was a "substantial subscriber;" the late George W. Perkins, who gave \$10,000 for "somebody else;" and H. E. Rogers, oil magnate, who gave \$50,000, according to Loeb.

J. L. Babier, Republican National Committeeman from Missouri, was recalled to testify today. He said he received \$16,453 from E. L. Morse, Lowden manager in Missouri, and spent \$16,101 for expenses.

The testimony of Loeb caused greatest comment.

"I received \$400,000 altogether," he told the committee. "The campaign was underwritten for \$1,000,000 however by George J. Whelan, Col. William Procter and a Col. Bonnall. Each agreed to be re-

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**WOMAN SUICIDE
BLAMES RICHES****New York Broker's Wife
Charges Wealth Made
Him Untrue.**

New York, July 8.—Leaving a note charging her husband with deserting her when he inherited a large sum of money, Mrs. Daniel M. Bedell committed suicide today by drowning herself in a lake in Central Park. Her body was found and recovered by a policeman.

"I am the wife of Daniel M. Bedell," was written on a card found lying on the shore. "You will find him at the Republican Club, 741 Fifth avenue, or at 51 Chambers street. I have stuck to him in adversity, but when prosperity came, he sought others. These are the names of the women who helped break up my home. (Here followed several names which were withheld by the police.) I can be identified by anybody at Garden City Hotel or by any prominent business house in this city."

Mr. Bedell, an insurance broker, was a power in local politics during the administration of Mayor Hewitt. He is related to the Peter Cooper family, has served two terms on the board of aldermen of New York, and is about 60 years old. Mrs. Bedell was about 55.

**Dr. Abram Simon Accepts Presidency
Of Board of Education in Statement
Urging All Members to Bury Hatchet**

Dr. Abram Simon, rabbi of the Washington Hebrew Congregation, last night announced his acceptance of the presidency of the Board of Education.

Dr. Simon was elected to succeed Dr. John Van Schaick, Jr., at a meeting of the board last Thursday. Absent from the city at that time, Dr. Simon returned Monday. He has been considering acceptance of the position since then.

In a statement issued last night, addressed to members of the Board of Education, Dr. Simon expressed the desire that the school authorities forget all previous differences and "bury the hatchet."

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**COX PREACHES
GOLF ON FLING
INTO COUNTRY****Makes People Want Homes
And Homes Is His Hobby,
Nominee Says.****PARTY ISSUES AVOIDED****Ohio Governor to Await
Conference of Demo-
cratic Leaders to Talk.**

By SAM BLAIR.
(Universal Service Staff Correspondent.)

Dayton, Ohio, July 7.—Outside of those propositions set down in the Democratic platform the country can't be sure what the Democratic nominees will stand for.

Gov. James M. Cox let it be known today that before he tells just where he stands he will talk things over with the Democratic party leaders who are hurrying here from San Francisco.

The one out-of-the-platform principle to which the governor adheres is golf. He believes in golf because the game takes those who play it into the country; it inspires them to own their own homes. The governor regards the owning of a home the fundamental of patriotism.

The governor went to the Dayton Country Club tonight and after receiving the sort of ovation a Presidential nominee might expect, gave a brief address to the members and their guests. The Ohio State Golf Association is holding its annual tournament at Dayton. Players of prominence from every part of the State are attending. The Cox address was calculated to swing the golf vote into the Democratic column.

Not Rich Man's Game.

"There is an erroneous impression that golf is the rich man's game," he said. "It is really a game for those of ordinary means. A set of golf clubs is not expensive and our modern daylight saving now makes it possible for the office or shop-

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**FRANCE LIKES
GOVERNOR COX****Call Him "Shrewd" and
Think He'll Fight for Beer
And Light Wines.**

Paris, July 7.—"France," says Le Figaro, commenting on the nomination of Gov. Cox, "likes that the nominee's stand on the league of nations and as regards American participation in European affairs will be modified if he is elected."

Le Petit Parisien says: "While he is known as a shrewd politician and an effective administrator of a small State, it remains to be seen whether Cox will make as great a President. Sentiment in France inclines toward Gov. Cox and not the least compelling reason for this sentiment is that he will fight for the reintroduction of beer and light wines—especially the latter—as prohibition in America has caused a tremendous loss to French exporters."

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TICTOCQ--THE GREAT FRENCH DETECTIVE IN AUSTIN

It is not generally known that Tictocq, the famous French detective, was in Austin last week. He registered at the Avenue Hotel under an assumed name, and his quiet and reserved manners singled him out at once for one not to be singled out.

No one knows why he came to Austin, but to one or two he vouchsafed the information that his mission was an important one from the French government.

One report is that the French Minister of State has discovered an old statute among the laws of the empire, resulting from a treaty between the Emperor

Charlemagne and Governor Roberts which expressly provides for the north gate of the Capital grounds being kept open, but this is merely a conjecture.

Last Wednesday afternoon a well-dressed gentleman knocked at the door of Tictocq's room in the hotel.

The detective opened the door.

"Monsieur Tictocq, I believe," said the gentleman.

"You will see on the register that I sign my name Q. X. Jones," said Tictocq, "and gentlemen would understand that I wish to be known as such. If you do not like being referred to as no gen-

tleman, I will give you satisfaction any time after July 1st, and fight Steve O'Donnell, John McDonald and Ignatius Donnelly in the meantime if you desire."

"I do not mind it in the least," said the gentleman. "In fact, I am accustomed to it. I am Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee, Platform No. 2, and I have a friend in trouble. I knew you were Tictocq from your resemblance to yourself."

"Egretz vous," said the detective.

The gentleman entered and was handed a chair.

"I am a man of few words," said Tictocq. "I will help your friend if possible. Our countries are great friends. We have given you Lafayette and French fried potatoes. You have given us California champagne and—taken back Ward McAllister. State your case."

"I will be very brief," said the visitor. "In room No. 76 in this hotel is stopping a prominent Populist candidate. He is alone. Last night some one stole his socks. They cannot be found. If they are not recovered, his party will attribute their loss to the Democracy. They will make great capital of the burglary, al-

though I am sure it was not a political move at all. The socks must be recovered. You are the only man that can do it."

"Am I to have carte blanche to question every person connected with the hotel?"

"The proprietor has already been spoken to. Everything and everybody is at your service."

Tictocq consulted his watch.

"Come to this room tomorrow afternoon at 6 o'clock," with the landlord, the Populist candidate, and any other witnesses elected from both parties, and I will return the socks."

"Bien, Monsieur; schia la sia

"wohl."

"Au revoir."

The Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee, Platform No. 2, bowed courteously and withdrew.

**"I Knew You Were Tictocq from
Your Resemblance to Yourself."**

Tictocq sent for the bell boy.

"Did you go to room 76 last night?"

"Yes, sir."

"Who was there?"

"An old hayseed what come on the 7:25."

"What did he want?"

"The bounce."

"What for?"

"To put the light out."

By O. HENRY

ture, the beauty, the youth and fashion of society. Austin society is acknowledged to be the witliest, the most select, and the highest bred to be found southwest of Kansas City.

Mrs. Rutabaga St. Vitus, the hostess, is accustomed to draw around her a circle of talent and beauty rarely equaled anywhere. Her evenings come nearer approaching the dignity of a salon than any occasion, except, perhaps, a Tony Faust and Marguerite reception at the Iron Front.

Miss St. Vitus, whose advent into society's maze was heralded

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